

United States District Court
For the Northern District of California

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7 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
8 **FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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10 **ORDER OF THE CHIEF JUDGE**
11 **RE: REASSIGNMENT OF CASES**
12 **PENDING BEFORE**
13 **THE HONORABLE FERN M SMITH**

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16 **No** **C 03-5777 FMS**
17 **C 04-0297 FMS**
18 **C 04-0672 FMS**
19 **C 04-1291 FMS**
20 **C 04-1907 FMS**
21 **C 04-2269 FMS**
22 **C 04-2780 FMS**
23 **C 04-3474 FMS**
24 **C 04-3699 FMS**
25 **C 04-3715 FMS**
26 **C 04-3781 FMS**
27 **C 04-3927 FMS**
28 **C 04-4041 FMS**
29 **C 04-4448 FMS**
30 **C 04-4854 FMS**
31 **C 04-4941 FMS**
32 **C 04-5187 FMS**
33 **C 04-5307 FMS**
34 **C 04-5413 FMS**
35 **C 04-5511 FMS**
36 **C 05-0157 FMS**
37 **C 05-0223 FMS**
38 **C 05-0293 FMS**
39 **C 05-0533 FMS**
40 **C 05-0623 FMS**

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42 **Because the Honorable Fern M Smith, to whom the above cases**
43 **were assigned, will retire effective June 30, 2005, these cases are re-assigned**
44 **as follows:**

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46 **On or before July 29, 2005, the parties may select one or more of**
47 **the following magistrate judges to conduct any and all proceedings, including**
48 **trial and entry of judgment pursuant to 28 USC § 636(c)(1) :**

Honorable James Larson, Chief Magistrate Judge
Honorable Edward M Chen, Magistrate Judge
Honorable Maria-Elena James, Magistrate Judge
Honorable Elizabeth D Laporte, Magistrate Judge
Honorable Joseph C Spero, Magistrate Judge
Honorable Bernard Zimmerman, Magistrate Judge

8 Upon filing with the court a selection and consent form signed by
9 all parties (or one for each party), the case will be re-assigned to one of the
10 magistrate judges chosen by the parties. A magistrate judge selection and
11 consent form is attached for the parties' convenience.

12 **In the event the parties fail timely to consent to a magistrate judge,**
13 **the clerk is directed to re-assign the case to a United States district judge**
14 **selected at random from the active and senior judges of the court.**

IT IS SO ORDERED.



VAUGHN R WALKER

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United States District Chief Judge

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11 Plaintiff,

12 v

13 No C _____ FMS

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15 **SELECTION OF AND CONSENT
TO PROCEED BEFORE A
MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

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17 **Defendant.**

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28 **In accordance with the provisions of 28 USC § 636(c), all parties to this
action hereby consent to have Magistrate Judge(s) _____, or
_____, or _____ conduct any and all
further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final
judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States
Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.**

Dated: _____

Signature _____

Counsel for _____
(name of party, indicate plaintiff or defendant)

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Signature

Counsel for _____
(name of party, indicate plaintiff or defendant)

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Counsel for _____
(name of party, indicate plaintiff or defendant)

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Counsel for _____
(name of party, indicate plaintiff or defendant)